

30 WITNESSES CALLED AGAINST BRANDT

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BRANDT IS FREE AT LAST; WILL TELL THE GRAND JURY STORY OF "RAILROADING"

Schiff Vlet Finally Leaves the Tombs and Takes a Long Walk.

GIVES OUT STATEMENT.

District Attorney Will Keep in Touch With Him and Supply a Guard.

Folke E. Brandt, the Schiff burglar, was released on bail today. Judge Crane in the Court of General Sessions accepted a bond for \$2,500 covering the indictment standing against Brandt for assault upon Mortimer Schiff.

The indictment charging burglary in the first degree is covered by the bond for \$5,000 accepted yesterday by Justice Gerard. Both bonds were furnished by the Illinois Surety Company. Although the representative of the concern balked at putting up \$2,500 had today until he was informed by Mirabeau L. Towns of the identity of the person or persons standing for the expense attending the bail operation.

Immediately upon the approval of his bail papers Brandt, who had carried his effects from the Tombs in a suit case, and a wisp of hair, went down with Mr. Towns to the law's office. Mr. Towns said that Brandt felt called upon to make a statement to the public and would spend a couple of hours in composing it.

Brandt's statement proved to be a voluminous declaration, covering many phases of his case. He declared that he did not read the statement he signed in Mortimer Schiff's office which was afterward produced in court in the shape of a confession.

Brandt positively stated that he will not go on the stage. Friends have volunteered to take care of him until his case is cleared up. He will keep his whereabouts secret from all but his counsel and the representatives of the District Attorney. During the afternoon Brandt took a long walk along the waterfront and through the parks and squares, his first walk in freedom in five years.

Former wardens Jesse Frost and Addison Johnson of Sing Sing prison were before the Grand Jury today to explain why Brandt was transferred from Sing Sing to Dannemora prison in the Adirondacks five months after his commitment to serve his thirty-years sentence. This information is sought by District Attorney Whitman as part of the second he hopes to build up of a conspiracy to "railroad" Brandt into prison and keep him practically imprisoned from his friends.

The District Attorney says the prison books will show that Brandt is the only first offender in this history of Sing Sing ever transferred to Dannemora unless the convict was tubercular. Dannemora is used for tubercular convicts and men who have served more than one term.

Although free under bond, Brandt will be practically in the custody of the District Attorney until the Grand Jury investigation is concluded. Thus far the Grand Jury has gathered no conclusive evidence to warrant an indictment for conspiracy, but Brandt is expected to supply needed missing links when he gives his testimony. The District Attorney said today that he would, if all probability, be in shape to present Brandt to the attention of the Grand Jury tomorrow.

The acts of appeal from Justice Gerard's decision will be filed by Mr. Whitman today or tomorrow. It may be several months before it is decided by the highest court.

Twenty-one appointments by Taft. WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—Northwestern sent to the Senate today by President Taft included three United States Attorneys—Joseph E. Morrison, District of Arizona; William N. Landers, District of Porto Rico; and Alexander Akerman, Southern District of Georgia, and sixteen consuls.

DON'T TAKE CHANCES. Drink Crystal Spring Water, bottled at the Springs, Catskill Mts., Phone Murray Hill 900.

BABY ON ICE CAKE ADRIPT IN HUDSON IS SAVED BY DOG

One-Year-Old Willie Blake Rescued After Remarkable Adventure.

NOT EVEN SCRATCHED.

Playful Pet That Caused the Trouble Wags Tail in Joy After It's All Over.

Bunch is a big woolly dog, not much to look at, but he has the heart of a hero; for when he pushed Willie Blake, one year old, off a canal boat onto a cake of ice in the North River today he went overboard after Willie. And when Willie was rescued, ten minutes later, a full city block away from the canal boat, Bunch was swimming alongside the cake of ice, barking with all the power of his chilled lungs.

Willie Blake is the only child of Capt. and Mrs. Blake of the good canal boat Mary Ann, which is moored for the winter with a lot of other canal boats along the south side of Pier B, Jersey City. East to the north side of the pier today was the big Bermuda steamship Oceana. The Mary Ann is the farthest boat out of the canal boat fleet and her stern, where the cabin is located, projects beyond the pier line.

PUTS BABY IN CLOTHES BASKET ON THE DECK.

A perambulator is not part of the equipment of the canal boat Mary Ann. Willie's resting place when he is out of doors is a clothes basket, well upholstered with blankets. Mrs. Blake put the clothes basket and Willie out on the deck today while she engaged in the work of preparing the noon meal in the cabin.

Bunch is little Willie's playmate. In romping around the basket, Bunch found to his canine surprise that he could move it. With much wagging of his tail and sniffing of his feet, he rubbed at the basket with his nose until he had it right near the edge of the deck.

Willie cooed and clapped his hands in appreciation of the sliding ride Bunch had given him across the deck. Of course had Bunch been a really intelligent dog he would have pulled the basket out of danger and not pushed it over the side. But push it over he did.

The title was running in sluggishly, and fortunately for Willie Blake, it carried a big cake of ice alongside the Mary Ann just as the clothes basket and its precious burden dropped from the boat. The clothes basket landed on its side and Willie, all bundled up in warm baby clothes, rolled out on the ice and began to cry.

ATTRACTS BABY'S MOTHER, THEN JUMPS AFTER HIM.

The situation called for action on the part of Bunch. After looking perplexed at the cake of ice and Willie and the clothes basket for a moment, Bunch began to howl like a steam train. Jumping to the door of the cabin he howled there until Mrs. Blake appeared with a gasp.

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BRANDT IN LETTERS AND IN AN "INTERVIEW"

One Was Written to Mrs. Schiff Five Years Ago, the Other Given Out To-Day.

From Folke Brandt's letter to Mrs. Schiff written five years ago, to the letter he gave out today, the contrast is as marked as the contrast between the two men who wrote them.

Dearest Lady as you may perhaps remember that I once last Autumn left your service, and the reason why I came back to you, I never realized or by any means surmised, it was for you, yes; but I must not go too far today, it is on this particular question I have based my daring intention to write you.

Wife Whose Laundry Bundle May Win Husband a Divorce



MEXICAN SITUATION PERPLEXING, TAFT INFORMS LODGE

President's Answer to Senator Who Presents Letters of Americans.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—Senator Lodge of Massachusetts today laid before President Taft letters from residents of that State who have property in Mexico and who are in great alarm over present conditions. Mr. Lodge said that the President regarded the situation as delicate and perplexing.

AUSTIN, Tex., Feb. 28.—The capture of Juarez has added great strength to the Zapata and Vasquez revolt throughout the country, according to dispatches received here. In southern Mexico the flames of insurrection are spreading rapidly. Authoritative information was obtained today that a general uprising of Vasquistas is scheduled to take place in the States of Tamaulipas and Nuevo Leon on March 1. Bands of rebels in the Laguna district are concentrating near San Pedro to join Gen. Campes's army on their northward march.

Federal troops will be sent to Arasco and Valdemora to relieve the marooned Americans at those places. Francisco del Toro, with 200 men, is marching south in the direction of state capital. Several detachments of troops are in pursuit. Mariano Ramirez and several of his men were killed and wounded in an engagement with the state troops near the town of Toluca. Women and children are fleeing to Guadalupe from the haciendas in various parts of the State, fearing raids by the rebels.

FAMILY CAMPS IN STREET.

Dispossessed and Hungry, Four Sit by Chateaux on Walk.

John Nielsen, his wife and two children were dispossessed today from their apartment in the tenement at No. 44 East 10th Street and Street. They are now homeless and are wandering about the streets, looking for a place to sleep. Nielsen has been out of work and the family has been depleted for several days.

Nielsen's wife and the children are suffering from lack of food. Nielsen said he notified a charitable organization to assist him, but that no attention was paid to his request.

STORY RELIES UPON SONG OF THE SHIRT TO GAIN A DIVORCE

He'll Sing It in Court, Telling How Actor's Linen Went Out in Wife's Laundry.

LOVE IN COTTAGE, TOO?

Alleges Wife Spent Summer With Stanley Forde, While He Worked for \$18 Per.

Whether or not Stanley J. Forde, an actor, had eleven shirts in a bundle of laundry sent by young and pretty Mrs. Helen Hill. Story from her apartment at No. 35 East Nineteenth street, will be one of the questions before the jury in Allen Lawrence Story's divorce suit, trial of which began today, Justice Claff presiding. This was announced by Edmund Mooney, counsel for the plaintiff husband.

Mrs. Story is a granddaughter of the late Judge H. Hill and heiress of his large estate. Story is a son of Mr. and Mrs. William Cunningham Story of No. 34 Gramercy Park.

ACTRESS INTRODUCED TO WIFE FORMED "TRIANGLE," IT'S SAID.

In outlining the plaintiff's case Mr. Story's attorney said: "Mr. Story was in bad health and went South, but one morning about 11 o'clock, he dropped into the laundry apartment at No. 3 West Thirty-second street, expecting to find only Forde. But, to his astonishment and dismay, he found Mrs. Story there. It is true, the actor's sister, Miss Forde, was present, but Mr. Story says that his wife's association with Forde was undesirable and he protested at the first opportunity.

"Mrs. Story, we will show, had told the elevator boys not to admit any one when Forde was visiting her. We will also show that as many as eleven of Stanley Forde's shirts were sent out from the Story apartment in one laundry bundle.

"When Mr. Story returned from the South, ignorant of what his wife and Forde had been doing during his absence, he was met with a proposition by Forde, Forde's sister and Mrs. Story, that they take a cottage together at Nantuxet, N. H. Mr. Story said he couldn't go there on account of his employment, he is a clerk at \$1 a week and has to keep regular hours.

"The others argued it was all right if he were not there, as Miss Forde would be at the cottage. The cottage was rented. Miss Forde remained just one week. Then she left and Forde and Mrs. Story remained about six weeks, with the three-year-old child and two maids, who went out every evening.

STORY'S PROTEST AGAINST COTTAGE LIFE WENT FOR NAUGHT.

Mr. Story protested against this situation continuing, but Forde and Mrs. Story argued they had come to a great deal of expense, and as Mr. Story was only making \$18 a week and his wife was paying the expenses of the cottage, what Mr. Story said didn't count for much.

Forde and Mrs. Story stayed in that cottage two months. Finally, the situation became so scandalous Mrs. Story, accompanied by her brother, went out there and took his baby and away, in the absence of her mother.

"The man and woman stayed out there fifteen days after the baby was taken away by the father. Even after their return they were much in each other's company at restaurants and places of amusement. But the climax was reached when Forde went into the Broadway Railroad ticket office on Fifth avenue after Mrs. Story and bought two tickets for Rome, New York, for Mrs. Story and one for her maid. Mrs. Story said she was going to Rome to get a divorce.

"We need that and as we need the money, we need it. As Mrs. Story said, she was going to Rome to get a divorce, we need that and as we need the money, we need it. As Mrs. Story said, she was going to Rome to get a divorce, we need that and as we need the money, we need it.

World Building Turkish Bath. Always open. Bath with private rooms. 81, 83, 85, 87, 89, 91, 93, 95, 97, 99, 101, 103, 105, 107, 109, 111, 113, 115, 117, 119, 121, 123, 125, 127, 129, 131, 133, 135, 137, 139, 141, 143, 145, 147, 149, 151, 153, 155, 157, 159, 161, 163, 165, 167, 169, 171, 173, 175, 177, 179, 181, 183, 185, 187, 189, 191, 193, 195, 197, 199, 201, 203, 205, 207, 209, 211, 213, 215, 217, 219, 221, 223, 225, 227, 229, 231, 233, 235, 237, 239, 241, 243, 245, 247, 249, 251, 253, 255, 257, 259, 261, 263, 265, 267, 269, 271, 273, 275, 277, 279, 281, 283, 285, 287, 289, 291, 293, 295, 297, 299, 301, 303, 305, 307, 309, 311, 313, 315, 317, 319, 321, 323, 325, 327, 329, 331, 333, 335, 337, 339, 341, 343, 345, 347, 349, 351, 353, 355, 357, 359, 361, 363, 365, 367, 369, 371, 373, 375, 377, 379, 381, 383, 385, 387, 389, 391, 393, 395, 397, 399, 401, 403, 405, 407, 409, 411, 413, 415, 417, 419, 421, 423, 425, 427, 429, 431, 433, 435, 437, 439, 441, 443, 445, 447, 449, 451, 453, 455, 457, 459, 461, 463, 465, 467, 469, 471, 473, 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